## ENERGY COMMITTEE MEETING 09 October 2007

Attendees: Bob Larson, Andy Kohlhofer, Gene Cordes, Jack Karcz, Dawn Lewis, Peter Bolduc

Meeting began at approximately 7:00 pm in the main floor meeting room at the Fremont Town Hall.

Highlights of the meeting:

<u>Energy Audit</u> – Selectmen to obtain electricity, gasoline, diesel, heating oil, propane usage from all municipal sites. D Lewis to provide information from Ellis School, used 2006-07 as benchmarks.

<u>Alternative Energy Tax Credits, etc</u> – G Cordes to get information from tax accountant.

Energy Audits of Municipal Buildings – R Larson to contact PSNH to determine availability.

<u>Ellis School / High School</u> – D Lewis will post info on school web site seeing volunteers.

D Lewis to examine possibility of utilizing high school students for Energy Committee.

D Lewis to determine what programs are in place or anticipated at the high school level re: energy reduction or global warming.

R Larson to contact Carbon Coalition re: programs or speaker to interface with Ellis School.

<u>Upcoming Legislation</u> – R Larson to contact State House of Representatives re: upcoming legislation.

<u>Grants for Municipalities and schools for Alternative Energy / Energy Conservation Projects</u> – R Larson to get list of possible sources.

<u>Grants for Low Income families</u> – Committee will investigate.

<u>Energy Fair</u> – G Cordes / R Larson to determine when Rockingham/Strafford Energy Alliance will conduct Energy Fair with vendors. Possibly Fremont, in conjunction iwht other towns will sponsor one in the future.

<u>Web Site</u> – Proceedings of Energy Committee and energy conservation info will be posted on the Town's website.

The meeting closed at 7:55 pm.

There is already a meeting scheduled for Monday October 15, 2007 at the Town Hall; and the next meeting was set for Tuesday December 4, 2007 at 7:00 pm.

Notes taken by Bob Larson